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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

LAFAYETTE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CRIMINAL NO. 16-CR-00053-01

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VERSUS

* JUDGE WALTER

EDWIN ZAVALA, JR.

* MAGISTRATE JUDGE HANNA

CONSENT TO PLEAD BEFORE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE IN A FELONY CASE AND WAIVER OF OBJECTION TO REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

The above-captioned United States Magistrate Judge has explained to me the nature of the offense(s) with which I am charged and the maximum possible penalties that might be imposed if I plead guilty. I have been informed of my right to the assistance of legal counsel and of my right to plead before a United States District Judge.

I hereby waive (give up) my right to enter my plea before a United States District Judge and consent to entering my plea before the United States Magistrate Judge, who will provide a report and recommendation to the District Judge.

I understand that the District Judge must accept and approve my guilty plea and the plea agreement and will adjudicate guilt. If approved, I understand that I will be sentenced by the United States District Judge.

I understand that pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the parties are entitled to a fourteen (14) day period within which to file written objections to the report and recommendation. I hereby waive (give up) the fourteen (14) day objection period so

that the District Judge may immediately adopt the report and recommendation, thereby accepting my guilty plea, and set a sentencing date.

Date: 5-16-16

EDWIN ZAVALA, JR.

Defendant

Date: 5-16-16

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